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FILTER MANIPULATOR, FILTER,)
HOLDER FOR A NUMBER OF FILTER
MANIPULATORS, AND SYSTEM
COMPRISING A FILTER MANIPULATOR
AND A HOLDER FOR A FILTER
MANIPULATOR

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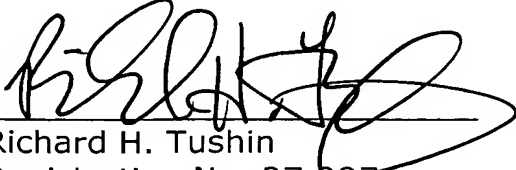
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The inventors herewith submit copies of the patent listed in the International Search Report, dated 25 July 2003, as well as copies of documents listed in a Danish Search Report issued relative to the Danish priority application and other documents of relevance.

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